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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED 08 OCT 2003

Sir:

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This is a response to the Office Action dated 08 OCT 2003. Please reconsider the application in light of the amendments and remarks below. Attached herewith are: 1) Transmittal Letter; 2) Fee transmittal; 3) Information Disclosure Statement; 4) PTO SB/08B; 5) copy of Frolov, et al. reference; 6) Fee transmittal sheet; and, 7) PTO-2038 Applicants do not believe additional any fees are due; however, if this is in error, the undersigned hereby authorizes the Commissioner to deduct any underpayment from Deposit Account No. 50-0244.

Amendments to the specification begins on page 2 of this paper. The "Remarks" section begins on page 4 of this paper.

Conclusions are found on page 6 of this paper.